

# INFORMATION BULLETIN

## WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: DISABILITY AWARENESS TRAINING

The purpose of this bulletin is to announce that the Local Training Response Unit of the Workforce Investment Division, working in conjunction with the Department of Rehabilitation (DOR), will offer a one-day workshop on disability issues under the Workforce Investment Act (WIA). This training is a continuation and expansion of training previously offered directly to One-Stops by the DOR. Local Workforce Investment Areas and other state-funded WIA grantees are encouraged to host the training and to invite partners from the One-Stops.

The primary target audience for this workshop is front-line staff who work directly with customers, including, but not limited to, case managers, job developers, intake staff, assessment specialists, etc.

Course topics will include:

- Service delivery, equal access and disability awareness
- Overview of employment law, including the Americans with Disabilities Act and the Fair Employment and Housing Act
- Program Access
- Physical Access

The maximum class size for the workshop is 35.

For further information, or if you are interested in hosting this training for your Local Workforce Investment Board staff and other local partner staff, please contact Dee Whitecotton via voice phone at (916) 263-0597, or via E-mail at [dwhiteco@dor.ca.gov](mailto:dwhiteco@dor.ca.gov). Please allow at least 30 days advance notice in order to facilitate scheduling.

/S/ BILL BURKE  
Chief